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Applicant:

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RINSING LIQUID TREATMENT DEVICE

Examiner:

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 21313-1450

ELECTION

Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action dated September 29, 2004 and setting forth one (1)-month period for response. The Examiner requested that a restriction be made to one of the inventions set forth in the following claims:

- I. Claims 1-3 drawn to A Catch Trough
- II Claims 4-5 and 11 drawn to a Filter with Heat Exchange, and
- III. Claims 6-10 and 12-14 drawn to an Adaptor Module.

Applicants elect claims 4-5 and 11 for further prosecution on merits.

An early action on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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